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Magistrate Judge Michael H. Dolinger United States District Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Rm 1670 New York, New York 10007-1312

Re:

Lindner v. CSO Newell, et al.

Index No.: 11-cv-8365 (AJN)(MHD)

Dear Judge Dolinger,

This firm represents CSOs Newell and Muschitiello and Akal Security, Inc. (collectively, the "CSO Defendants") in connection with the above-referenced action. I write to seek clarification on the Court's Order dated July 20, 2012, that "Discovery is stayed pending resolution of the defendants' motion to dismiss." (Dkt. 44) Specifically, Defendant respectfully requests clarification as to whether the Court's Order also stays Plaintiff's July 20, 2012 motion for sanctions under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 11 (Dkt. 44).

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennie Woltz

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Text of endorsed order enclosed: "It does."

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